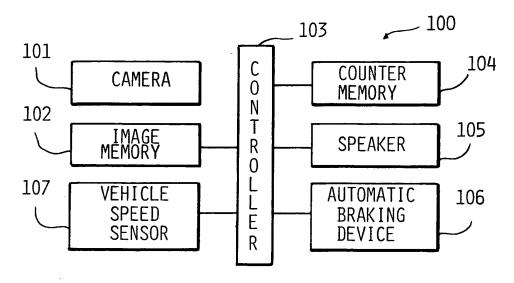
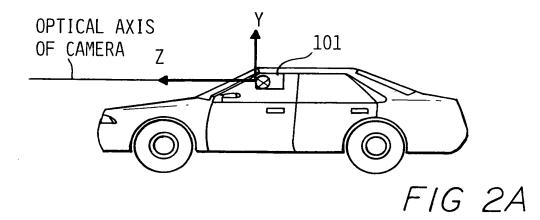
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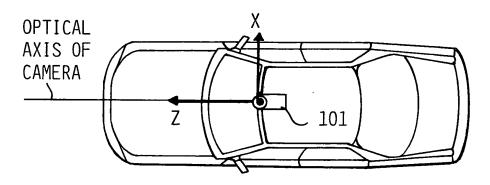
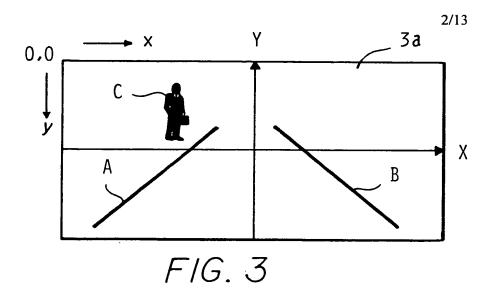
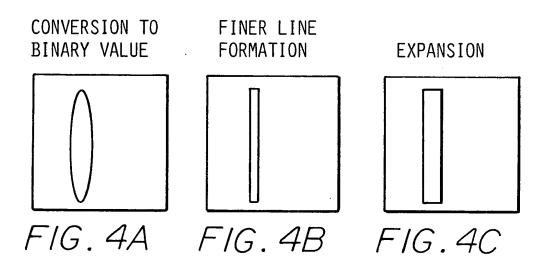


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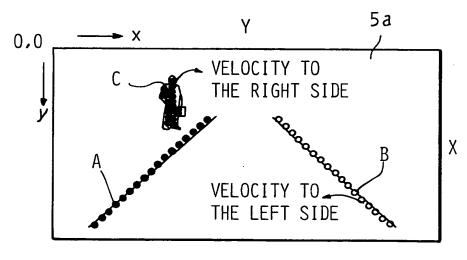
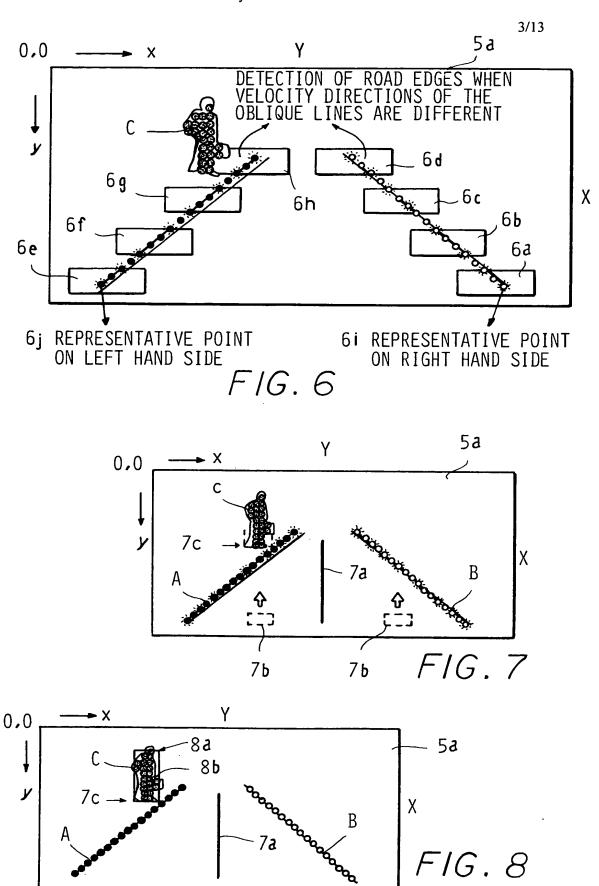


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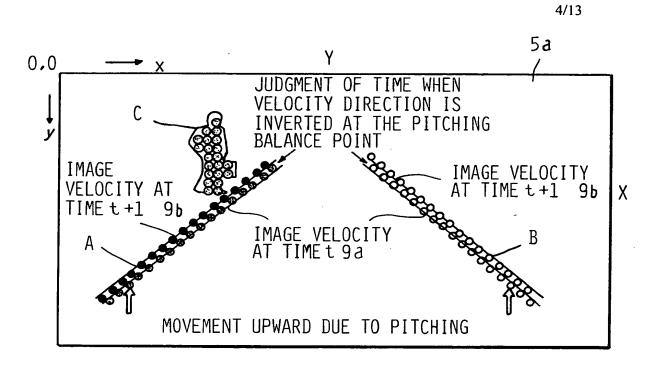


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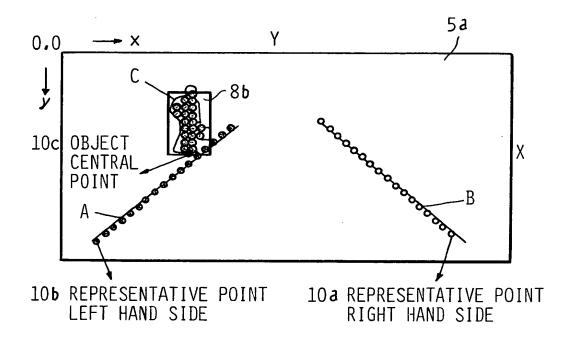
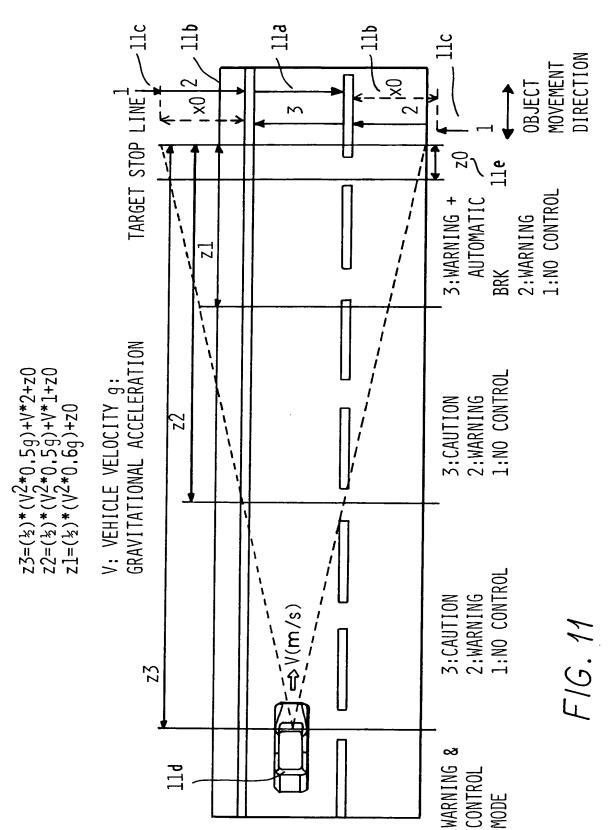


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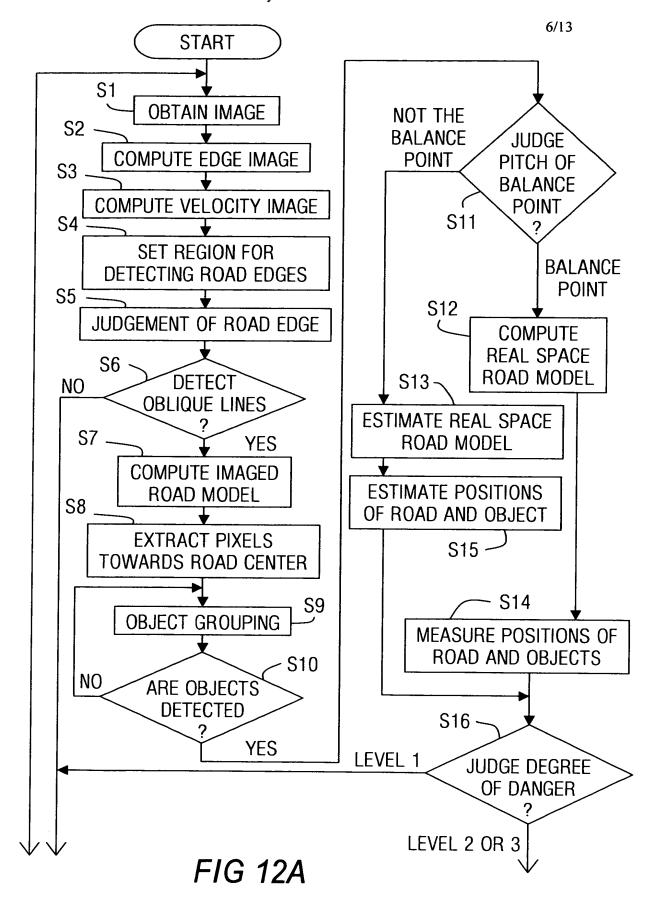
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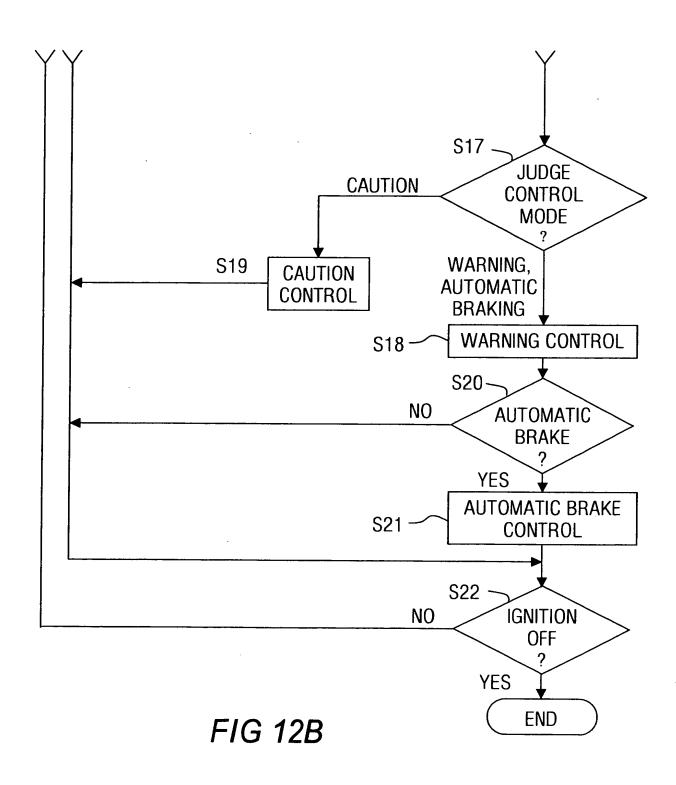
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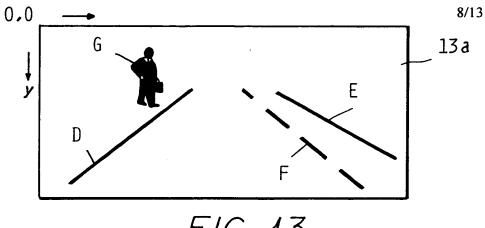
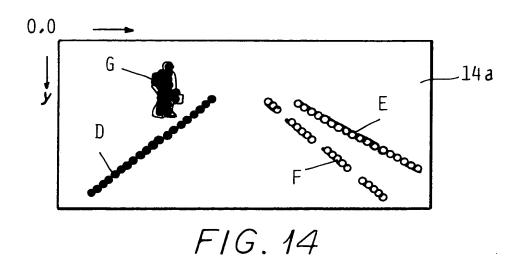
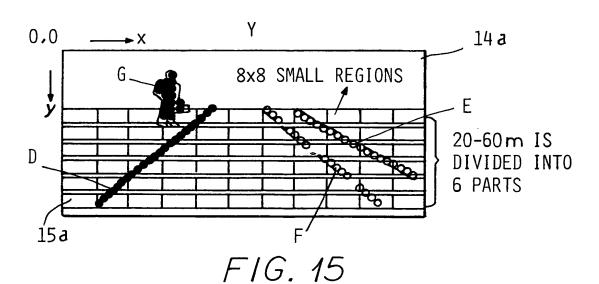


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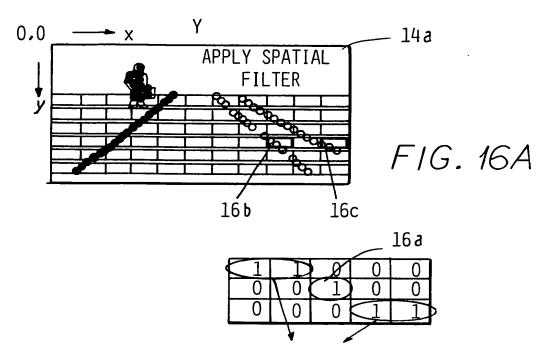




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IDENTIFIED AS A DOT CANDIDATE WHEN VELOCITY IS DETECTED ABOVE AND/OR BELOW THE DOT, IN THE OBLIQUE DIRECTION

IF A LINE SECTION FORMED BY THREE OR MORE DOT CANDIDATES SATISFIES THE SLOPE CONDITION, IT IS DETECTED AS AN OBLIQUE LINE CANDIDATE

FIG. 16B

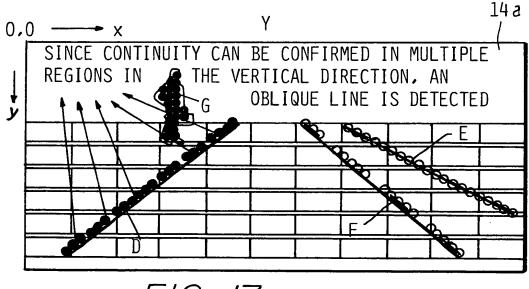
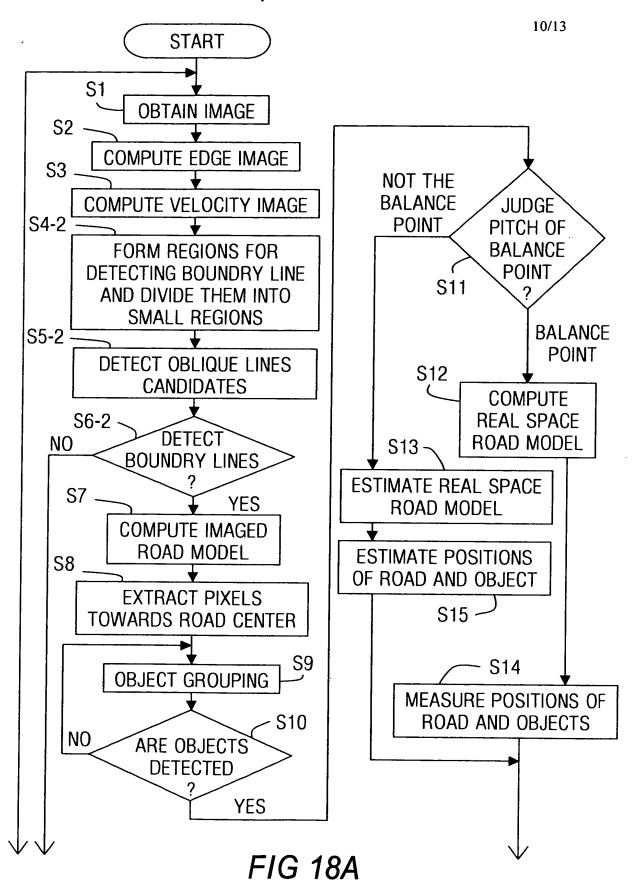


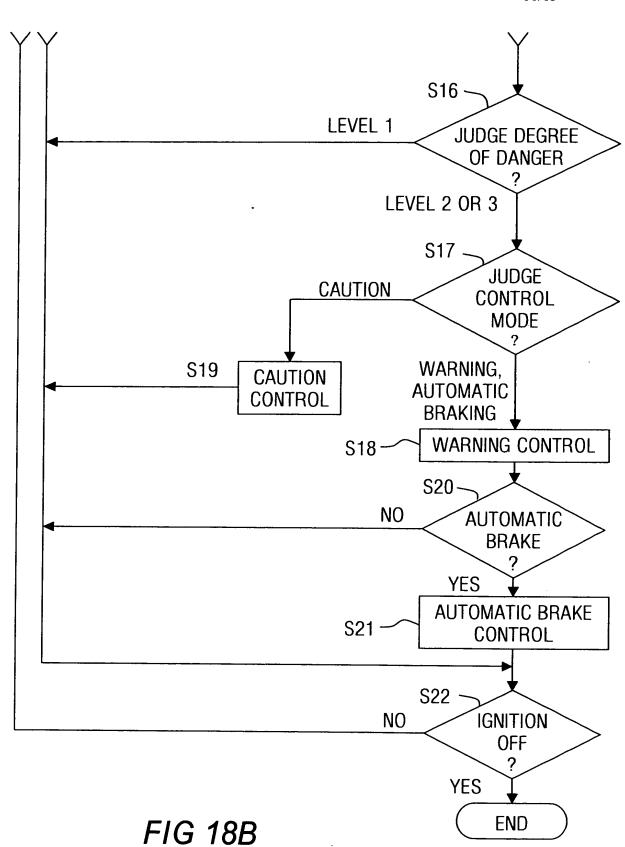
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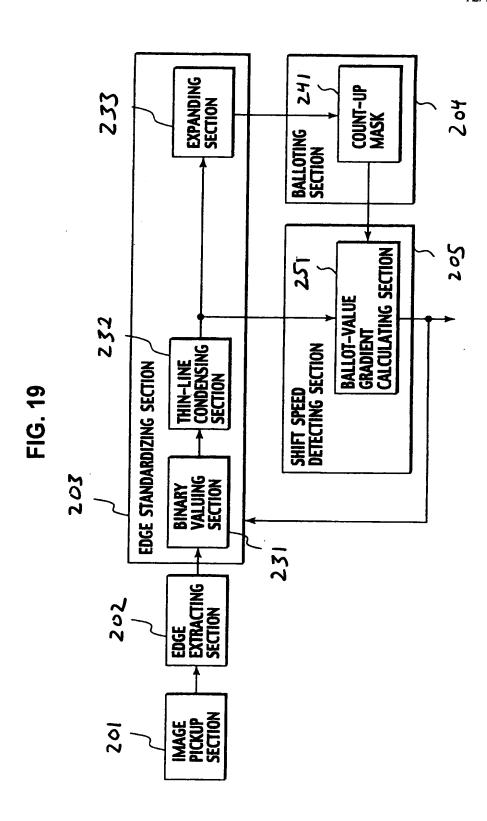
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